

Breed First - Master Agility Standard Preferred (MXP)



CH/WDCH XmaxKris Van
'T Hof Ten Eynder CD,
CDX, UD, TD, NAP, NJP,
OAP, OJP, AXP, AJP, MXP,
VCD1, VCD2, DD

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By John Cox

What an unbelievable ride!

In September of 2002, Kris entered his first agility trial in the AKC's new Preferred Agility classes at Oak Harbor, Washington. The new preferred classes permits dogs to jump in the next lower height division, if they choose to do so. Kris measures 30" inches at the withers so he would have to be entered in the 24" height division (the maximum agility jump height for all breeds) before the Preferred classes were offered. At the Preferred level, Kris jumps at the next lower height division--20 inches.

I chose the Preferred classes with the lower height (considering there can be up to 20 obstacles) as it would be less of an impact on his joints with all the jumping and quick turns in an agility course. It was these new classes that gave me the push I needed to try our Saint Bernard in agility.

Kris LOVED this new sport and excelled. In such a short time, he was at the top of the Preferred agility titles.

- 1) One year ago, we entered our first agility training class (in July of 2002).
- 2) 60 days later, we entered our first agility trial where he qualified in both the Standard and Jumpers Novice classes.
- 3) 60 days later, after completion of the **Novice titles**, he earned the **Open titles** at the end of November in 2002.
- 4) In April of 2003, Kris became the first and only dual **Excellent titled** Saint Bernard in AKC history. Both Excellent titles (Standard and Jumpers With Weaves) were earned on the same day.
- 5) 90 days after completing his two Excellent titles, Kris became the first and only Saint Bernard to earn the **Master Standard agility title**.

All seven agility titles were earned in just ten months time, from the first show in September 2002 to July of 2003.

What a dog! Sue and I are so proud of our "son." His Pembroke Welsh Corgi "sister," Lina, still keeps him in his place when needed and enjoys the victory parties at Dairy Queen!

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**First Saint Bernard &
First Champion to Earn The
Master Agility Standard (MXP) Title**

July 13, 2003

First Saint Bernard & Champion with a Master Agility Title

Saint Bernard National Archive's AKC Agility Record {Preferred} For:

CH/WDCH XmaxKris Van 'T Hof Ten Eynder VCD2 UD MXP AJP DD

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CH	Titles	Date	2Qs	PAX	NAP A	NAP B	OAP	AXP A	MXP	NJP A	NJP B	OJP	AJP A	MJP	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	#	M	F
(1) Novice																					
2001-CH	UD	September 14, 2002	1		100.67.40										1						
2001-CH	UD	September 15, 2002	2		100.63.88										1						
2001-CH	UD NAP	September 21, 2002			95.64.18																
Class Summary		3	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
(1) Novice Jumpers With Weaves																					
2001-CH	UD	September 14, 2002	1							100.37.60						2					
2001-CH	UD	September 15, 2002	2							100.41.35						2					
2001-CH	UD NAP NJP	September 22, 2002	3							100.38.37							3				
Class Summary		3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
(2) Open																					
2001-CH	UD NAP NJP	September 22, 2002	3				100.66.70										3			1	
2001-CH	UD NAP NJP	November 09, 2002	4				98.72.91										2				3
2001-CH	VCD1 UD NJP OAP	November 29, 2002	5				91.76.88								1						5
Class Summary		3	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	
(2) Open Jumpers With Weaves																					
2001-CH	UD NAP NJP	November 09, 2002	4									100.41.83			1						2
2001-CH	VCD1 UD NJP OAP	November 29, 2002	5									95.48.89			1						4
2001-CH	VCD2 UD OAP OJP	November 30, 2002										100.39.38			1						6
Class Summary		3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	
(3) Excellent																					
2001-CH	VCD2 UD OAP OJP	February 09, 2003						94.75.56							1						8
2001-CH	VCD2 UD OAP OJP	April 13, 2003						100.65.19							1						10
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	April 19, 2003	6					100.63.30								2					12
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	April 20, 2003	7	1					100.65.38							2					14
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	May 03, 2003							100.67.60						1						15
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	May 04, 2003							100.65.55						1						16
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	May 24, 2003	8	2					100.70.81						1						18
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	May 25, 2003	9	3					100.68.20						1						20
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	June 14, 2003							100.63.73						1						22
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	July 04, 2003	10	4					100.68.39						1						25
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	July 06, 2003	11	5					100.59.40						1						27
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	July 12, 2003							100.67.18						1						28
2001-CH	VCD2 UD MXP AJP	July 13, 2003	12	6					100.71.06						1						29
Class Summary		13	7	6	0	0	0	3	10	0	0	0	0	0	11	2	0	0	0	13	

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(3) Excellent Jumpers With Weaves																						
2001-CH	VCD2 UD OAP OJP	February 08, 2003											88.50.36			2				7		
2001-CH	VCD2 UD OAP OJP	April 12, 2003											94.48.99		1					9		
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	April 19, 2003	6										100.49.66		1					11		
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	April 20, 2003	7	1									100.42.12		1					13		
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	May 24, 2003	8	2									100.47.16		1					17		
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	May 25, 2003	9	3									100.46.95		1					19		
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	June 08, 2003											100.47.01			2				21		
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	June 15, 2003											100.42.64			2				23		
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	July 04, 2003	10	4									100.49.49			2				24		
2001-CH	VCD2 UD AXP AJP	July 06, 2003	11	5									100.48.78			2				26		
2001-CH	VCD2 UD MXP AJP	July 13, 2003	12	6									100.43.29		1					30		
Class Summary			11	7	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	8	6	5	0	0		11		
Overall Summary			36	12	6	3	0	3	3	10	3	0	3	3	8	23	10	2	0		30	m

= Number of advanced scores from the Open and/or Excellent classes

2Qs = Dogs qualifying with scores in the Standard and Jumpers with Weaves classes on the same day

PAX (Preferred Agility Excellent) = Dogs qualifying with scores in the EXCELLENT B Standard and Jumpers with Weaves classes on the same day

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